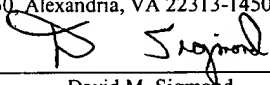


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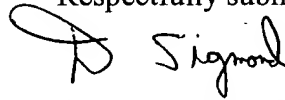
I. DRAWINGS

The Appendix with amended drawing figures attached hereto includes a replacement sheet for Figure 6A. No new matter has been added.

Figure 6A has been amended to insert an arrow from the start block and correct a typographical error in "area."

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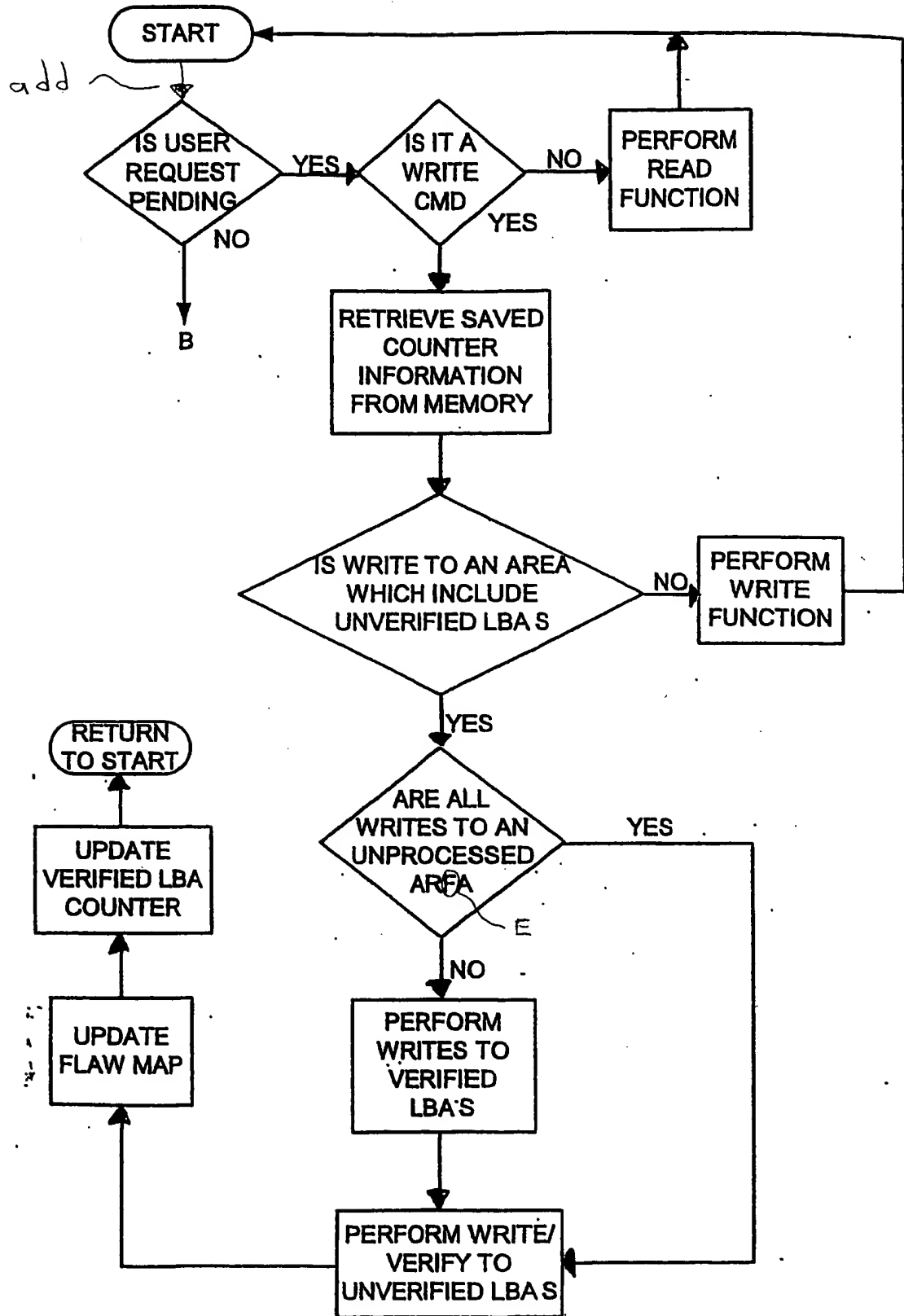


FIG. 6A